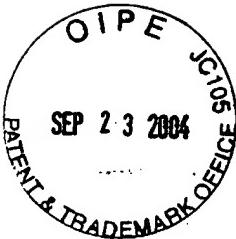


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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

RE: Applicant(s): Jay A. Hobson

Assignee: Sun Microsystems, Inc.

Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR STORING AND
RETRIEVING IMAGES FOR TRANSMISSION TO AN
OUTPUT DEVICE

Serial No.: 09/760,637 Filed: January 16, 2001

Examiner: Dalip K. Singh Group Art 2676
Unit:

Docket No.: P-5474 RCE

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents for the response to the Office Action dated May 20, 2004 in the above application:

1. Return Receipt Postcard;
2. Check in the amount of \$ 110.00 for Extension of Time fee;
3. Transmittal Letter (2 pages);
4. Amendment (17 pages); and
5. Petition for Extension of Time (1 page).

Transmittal Letter
Serial No. 09/760,637

September 20, 2004

- No additional claims fees are required.
- The additional claim fees have been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining after Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	23	- 23	= 0	x \$18.00	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	4	- 4	= 0	x \$86.00	\$ 0.00
First filing of Multiple Dependent Claim (Enter \$290)					0.00
			Total of above Calculation		\$0.00
			Reduction by 50% for filing by Small Entity (Enter 0.5 for small entity)		1.0
				Subtotal	\$ 0.00
			Submission of Information Disclosure Statement Fee (enter \$180)		0.00
				TOTAL	\$ 0.00

A check in the amount of \$ 110.00 is enclosed.

- Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed documents after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, Applicant(s) hereby petition for such an extension of time.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required for consideration of the enclosed documents, and to credit any overpayment of fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0553.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on September 20, 2004.



Attorney for Applicant(s)

September 20, 2004

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Respectfully submitted,



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